

## DRUG SENTENCES MONDAY

Sentences will be passed Monday by Federal Judge Fake upon three men found guilty by a jury of possession of narcotics yesterday. The men are Cyril Deady of 193 West street, Union City, Paul Nigre of 807 Garden street, Hoboken, and Thomas McGuinness of 76 Bloomfield street, Hoboken. *Ledger Staff*

# Beer Is Seized After Warning

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## Capture of Truckload in Union City Follows Re- turn of Ross

The first day after Regional Prohibition Administrator Ross returned from Washington, where he was warned by Prohibition Commissioner Doran to stop the flow of beer in this state, ended with a capture of a truck in Union City last night loaded with 150 barrels of alleged high-power beer.

Officials at prohibition headquarters refused to say whether the raid was part of a drive against breweries induced by the Washington trip.

The agents who seized the truck outside the Hermes Brewery drew revolvers when a crowd of approximately 600 persons menaced them. They finally called on the Union City police and other agents from this city to disperse the crowd, which threatened them with violence.

Union City police refused to call the fire department to turn fire hoses on the crowd to disperse them, as requested by the agents.

Frank Russo of Hoboken, driver of the truck, was arrested. When reinforcements arrived from Newark the truck was driven to this city.

### Two Local Raids.

Agents arrested Rudolph Braband of 99 Broad street, alleged bartender at a cafe at 174 Bloomfield avenue, which was raided yesterday afternoon. They also arrested Joseph M. Ross of the Bloomfield avenue address. Arraigned before United States Commissioner Freidmann, Braband was released in \$2,500 bond and Ross in \$1,000.

Several quarts of alleged brandy, beer and whisky were seized. The pair were charged with possession and sale.

Agents also arrested Thomas Vincent of 44½ High street in a raid at 84 Orange street. Charged with possession and sale he was held under \$1,000 bond by Commissioner Holland. Three ounces of alleged whisky and a pint of alleged apple brandy were seized.

# Heavy Punishment For Drug Sellers

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Imposing the heaviest sentences given here for narcotic violations in several years, Federal Judge Fake this morning sentenced three men to five years each in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta for possession and sale of heroin.

The three were found guilty by a jury before Judge Fake last Thursday. They are Cyril Deady of 193 West street, Union City; Paul Nigre of 807 Garden street and Thomas McGuinness of 76 Bloomfield street, both of Hoboken.

The charges grew out of a raid by Federal agents February 16 on an apartment at 314 Garden street, Hoboken, at that time occupied by Deady, his wife and three-year-old son.

In imposing the heavy sentences, Judge Fake said he believed all three to be drug addicts, adding he was sorry for them and wished to assure their return to normal physical condition by giving them long terms. The judge recalled testimony of Deady that he had first been given drugs by his brother Frank, now a fugitive from justice.

"The word of an addict is worth nothing," Judge Fake declared. "I believe if these men were set free they would spread their 'disease,' Deady perhaps even to his wife and boy."

Mrs. Deady, who was in court with her child, broke down when sentence was pronounced and fell forward on the back of the bench before her. The boy asked her several times why she was crying before marshals led her from the room.